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The Honorable Joel T. Broyhill
House of Representatives
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Broyhill:

I refer to your letter of 26 July 1960 to Mr. Dulles expressing your interest in Mrs. Mary C. Blankenship who is desirous of securing a contract to render complete food service to our new building at Langley.

Sometime ago we made careful studies of our food service requirements at our new building and concluded that the cafeteria should be operated by Government Services, Inc., which, as you know, is an organization chartered by the Congress for the purpose of providing food service to Government employees in Government buildings. Appropriate arrangements have been made through the General Services Administration for this service.

The service provided by Government Services, Inc., will be supplemented by snack bars operated by the Virginia Society for the Blind in accordance with the policy expressed by the Randolph-Sheppard Act favoring the granting of such concessions to the various societies for the blind.

I regret very much that we will be unable to give favorable consideration to Mrs. Blankenship's request. Your continued interest in this Agency, and particularly in our new building, is very much appreciated.

Sincerely,

Signed

L. K. White
Deputy Director
(Support)

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The Honorable Joel T. Broyhill
House of Representatives
Washington 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. Broyhill:

Some time ago I believe that you expressed an interest in being informed as to our final decisions concerning commercial concessions in our new building at Langley. This is to advise you that after consultation with the General Services Administration a decision has been made to award only a very limited number of concessions in our new building to the Government Services, Inc. and the Virginia Society for the Blind. Government Services, Inc. will operate the cafeteria and a three-chair barber shop, and the Virginia Society for the Blind will operate two snack bars. Thirteen unmanned vending machine rooms will be under the joint operation of these two organizations.

Because of the good shopping facilities in the general vicinity and our need to make the greatest official use of space in the new building, we have decided not to include other commercial concessions.

Your continued interest in the Agency's activities is much appreciated.

Sincerely,

L. E. White

Deputy Director
(Support)

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